

**REVISION OF NEMIPTERID FISHES IN THE REFERENCE COLLECTION  
OF PHUKET MARINE BIOLOGICAL CENTER**

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**ABSTRACT:** A review of nemipterid fishes (family Nemipteridae) in the Reference Collection of Phuket Marine Biological Center (PMBC) was undertaken to verify and update identifications of species. A total of 233 specimens in 128 lots of PMBC accession numbers were examined. These comprised 4 genera (*Nemipterus* Swainson, 1839, *Parascolopsis* Boulenger, 1901, *Pentapodus* Quoy and Gaimard, 1824, and *Scolopsis* Cuvier, 1814) and a total of 27 species (14 species of *Nemipterus*, 2 species of *Parascolopsis*, 1 species of *Pentapodus* and 10 species of *Scolopsis*). A recently redescribed species, *Scolopsis curite* (previously reported under different names), is a new record for Thailand. Three species in the collection (*Pentapodus setosus*, *Scolopsis bimaculata* and *S. japonica*) were collected from outside of Thai waters.

**Key words:** Nemipteridae, *Nemipterus*, *Parascolopsis*, *Pentapodus*, *Scolopsis*, Andaman Sea